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EDUCATION

- 2011-2016 Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) in Social Work, University of Georgia in Athens
- 2007-2008 Master of Social Work (MSW), Indiana University in Indianapolis
- 2002-2006 Bachelor of Social Work (BSW), Indiana University in Bloomington

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

- Young, S. M.**, Pruett, J. A., & Colvin, M. L. (in press). Comparing help-seeking behavior of male and female victims of sexual assault: A content analysis of a hotline. *Sexual Abuse: A Journal of Research and Treatment*.
- Colvin, M. L., Pruett, J. A., **Young, S. M.**, & Holosko, M. H. (2016). An exploratory case study of a sexual assault telephone hotline: Training and practice implications. *Violence Against Women*. Advance online publication doi: 10.1177/1077801216654574
- Young, S. M.** (2015). Understanding substance abuse counselor turnover due to burnout: A theoretical perspective. *Journal of Human Behavior in the Social Environment*, 25(6), 675-686.
- Young, S. M.**, & McLeod, T. (2013). The disproportionality of HIV transmission among Black men who have sex with men: Recommendations for an effective prevention model. *Advances in Social Work*, 14(2), 442-457.
- Young, S. M.** (2013). Attachment style and risk-taking: A theoretical approach to understanding young men who have sex with men. *Journal of Human Behavior in the Social Environment*, 23(8), 869-878.

BOOK CHAPTER & BOOK REVIEW

- Carney, M. & **Young, S. M.** (2012). Chapter 5: Attachment theory. In K. Sowers & C. Dulmus (Series Ed.) & B. Thyer (Vol. Ed.), *The comprehensive handbook of social work and social welfare: Volume 3 - Human behavior in the social environment* (pp. 166-192). New York: Wiley.
- Young, S. M.** (2012). Outcome-informed evidence based practice [book review] *Research on Social Work Practice*, 22(5), 592-593.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

2015-Present

Director of Research & Evaluation, Center for Pan Asian Community Services, Atlanta, GA

- Evaluated program efficacy across 10 departments serving 2500+ immigrants, refugees, and/or Asian-Americans per month in the metro Atlanta area; Disseminate implications and recommendations based on findings to improve program efficacy and respond to client needs

2015-2016

Co-Principal Investigator, Dr. Larry Nackerud, School of Social Work, University of Georgia

- Evaluated an ethical decision-making model for community-based HIV/AIDS treatment providers in Australia, Lebanon, & Kenya

2013-2015

Research Assistant, Dr. Paul Roman, Institute for Behavioral Research, University of Georgia

- Analyzed the use of wraparound services in a national sample of public and private substance abuse treatment centers to assess adoption of comprehensive services (*Adoption of Innovations in Private A&D Treatment Facilities*, NIH R37DA013110; P. Roman, PI)

2012-2015

Co-Principal Investigator, Dr. Michael Holosko, School of Social Work, University of Georgia

- Developed and implemented the program evaluation of a sexual assault telephone hotline as an effective community-based intervention based on 5 years of call sheets; Analyzed documentation of a sexual assault telephone hotline based on to determine themes and recommend service gaps to treatment providers

2011-2012

Research Assistant, Dr. Michelle Carney, School of Social Work, University of Georgia

- Examined court mandated participants of batterer intervention programs to assess variances between male and female perpetrators

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Health Disparities & Access to Healthcare
Hotlines as Treatment Modalities
HIV/AIDS Prevention & Care

International Social Work Education
Online Training Programs
Poverty & Income Inequality

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

University Instructor

Assistant Professor, SW 212 Introduction to Social Welfare, University of South Alabama, BSW Program, **Fall 2016**, Mobile, AL.

Assistant Professor, SW 401 Generalist Practice I: Individuals, Families, & Groups, BSW Program, **Fall 2016**, Mobile, AL.

Instructor, SOWK 2154 Introduction to the Profession, University of Georgia, BSW Program, **Spring 2014/Spring 2015**, Athens, GA.

Instructor, SOWK 2155 Communication in Helping Professions, University of Georgia, BSW Program, **Fall 2012/Spring 2013/Fall 2013/Fall 2014**, Athens, GA.

PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS

Peer-Reviewed Conference Presentations

Young, S. M., & Sintharattana, W. (under review). Evaluating a positive social norms campaign with Spanish-, Nepali-, and Burmese-speaking communities to reduce underage alcohol access. Paper Presentation at the 21st Annual conference for the Society for Social Work and Research (SSWR), New Orleans, LA.

Pruett, J. A., **Young, S. M.**, & Colvin, M. L. (2015). An exploratory study of a sexual assault hotline: Child victims and their needs. Poster presented at the 61st Annual Program Meeting for the Council on Social Work Education (CSWE), Denver, CO.

Colvin, M. L., Pruet, J. A., & **Young, S. M.** (2015). Contrasts between male and female callers of a sexual assault hotline: A mixed-methods analysis. Poster presented at the 19th Annual conference for the Society for Social Work and Research (SSWR), New Orleans, LA.

Pruett, J. A., **Young, S. M.**, & Colvin, M. L. (2015). Evaluating an anonymous service: Challenges experienced with the evaluation of a sexual assault hotline and recommendations for better practices. Poster presented at the 19th Annual conference for the Society for Social Work and Research (SSWR), New Orleans, LA.

Young, S. M., Pruett, J. A., & Colvin, M. L., (2014) Services for survivors of sexual violence: Contributions of Crisis Theory. Paper presented at the 60th Annual Program Meeting for the Council on Social Work Education (CSWE), Tampa, FL.

Young, S. M., Colvin, M. L., & Pruett, J. A. (2014). A descriptive study of a volunteer-based sexual assault telephone hotline: Implications for training and practice. Poster presented at the 18th Annual conference for the Society for Social Work and Research (SSWR), San Antonio, TX.

Young, S. M. (2013). Attachment & risk-taking in young men who have sex with men (YMSM). Poster presented at the 59th Annual Program Meeting for the Council on Social Work Education (CSWE), Dallas, TX.

McCloud, T., & **Young, S. M.** (2013). HIV transmission disparities in Black men who have sex with men (BMSM). Poster presented at the 59th Annual Program Meeting for the Council on Social Work Education (CSWE), Dallas, TX.

Selected Invited Presentations

Young, S. M., (2016, February). *What the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) means for English language learners.* Education Matters Forum at Georgia State Capitol, Atlanta GA.

Young, S. M., & Pruett, J. A. (2015, March). *Men, women use sexual assault hotlines differently.* On Second Thought WRAS – Georgia Public Broadcasting, Atlanta 88.5 FM

Young, S. M. (2014, April). *International child welfare: Macro differences between the United States and the United Kingdom.* UGA School of Social Work, BSW Program, Generalist Social Work Practice III, Athens GA.

Young, S. M. (2014, February). *Health determinants and disparities among diverse populations.* UGA School of Social Work, BSW Program, Social Work with Diverse Populations, Athens GA.

Young, S. M. (2013, June). *The first year of teaching: Tips for beginning instructors.* UGA School of Social Work, PhD Program, Social Work Education, Athens, GA.

Young, S. M. (2013, February). *The assessment phase.* UGA School of Social Work, MSW Program, Advanced Social Work Practice with Families, Athens GA.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

2016-Present Licensed Clinical Social Worker (LCSW), Georgia #CSW005798 Exp. 9/2018
2014-Present Society for Social Work and Research (SSWR), Member
2012-Present Council on Social Work Education (CSWE), Member
2009-2012 Health and Care Professions Council (HCPC) in the United Kingdom, Qualified Social Worker

LEADERSHIP HONORS & AWARDS

2013-2014	University of Georgia, BSW Teacher of the Year
2012-2013	University of Georgia, Outstanding Social Work PhD Student of the Year
2008	Inducted into the Phi Alpha Honor Society
2005-2006	Indiana University, President of the Student Association of Social Workers

PROFESSIONAL SOCIAL WORK EXPERIENCE

Center for Pan Asian Community Services (CPACS) – Atlanta, Georgia, 2015-Present

Director of Research & Clarkston Global Academy

- Completed clinical assessments with children and their families in need or in danger of harm; recommendations from bio-psychosocial assessments were shared in family-team meetings and in some cases, the juvenile court system.
- Director of Clarkston Global Academy, an afterschool collaborative of CPACS, which supports 200+ refugee students from Africa, Asia, and the Middle East graduate high school, obtain gainful employment, and attend college; Supervise four workshop instructors and five case managers

Haringey Council: The Children and Young People's Service - London, United Kingdom, 2010-2011

Qualified Social Worker

- Completed clinical assessments with children and their families in need or in danger of harm; recommendations from bio-psychosocial assessments were shared in family-team meetings and in some cases, the juvenile court system.
- Collaborated with paraprofessionals for child protection conferences, strategy meetings, planning meetings, and reviews to provide children and families supportive services to meet physical and emotional needs

Brownsburg Community School Corporation - Brownsburg, Indiana, 2008-2009

School Social Worker

- Engaged school-aged and adolescent children and their families in counseling, special education case conferences, and peer mediation; Created, implemented, and facilitated various educational student groups in anger management, anxiety management, tobacco education, and substance abuse support groups
- Directed, organized, planned, implemented, and evaluated the Student Drug Testing Program for the school corporation and provided direct counseling to all parents and students with substance abuse issues, primarily at the 6-12 grade levels; Managed two program assistants

Indiana Department of Child Services, - Indianapolis, Indiana, 2006-2007

Family Case Manger

- Investigated alleged incidents of child abuse and/or neglect and made a determination of whether or not to substantiate the allegations and developed recommendations to a Juvenile Court for disposition and developed treatment options for families and children; Developed and managed case plans to assist families to become more self-sufficient, increase safety, assure permanency in a safe and nurturing environment for the child